

The Honorable Michael K. Powell
Chairman
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Dear Chairman Powell:

I do not support the merger of DirectTV and Dish Network. It would create a monopoly and would degrade the quality of DirectTV. Dish Network is a second-rate company, their StarBand internet service is unreliable and over-priced, and they intentionally neglect to close accounts when a customer chooses to terminate their service. It has happened to me and other close friends of mine. Dish Network will simply ruin it for all parties involved and create an unfair monopoly, that should be obvious to anybody.

Sincerely,

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